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Sir:

Enclosed are copies of publications the subject matters
of which are mentioned in the International Search Report for the
Examiner's review:

1. Klinger et al, "Säureabbau von Stärke unter semi
dry Bedingungen", Starch/Stärke, Vol. 49, 1997, No. 10, pp 391-394

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395, also referred to as XP001000513, (this reference was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed May 16, 2001, therefore, is not enclosed);

2. US 3,523,938 patented August 11, 1970, Hershenson et al.

Applicants respectfully request and petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to consider and make of record the documents cited herein in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d) and that a copy of Form PTO-1449 be initialed by the Examiner and returned to the undersigned. This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before receipt of a first Office Action and within the three months of the mailing date of the European Search Report to Applicant. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) (1) or any deficiency against Deposit Account 50-0320.

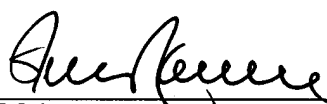
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We have also enclosed a copy of the International Search Report as well as Form PTO 1449 in duplicate which is considered part of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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